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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief Clerk/Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE:

Application of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for Approval of a Contract for Electric

Service between the Company and Parkdale America, LLC

Docket No. 2005-336-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

This is to acknowledge that the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") has reviewed the above referenced filing and has no objection to South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's Request for Approval of Second Amendment to Contract for Electric Service with Parkdale America, LLC ("Parkdale America"). In addition, ORS has no objection to the request for confidential treatment of certain information described as proprietary and commercially sensitive. This contract is in response to a recent decision by Parkdale America, a producer and supplier of spun yarn, to expand its manufacturing plant in Edgefield County. The expansion is a \$3 million investment at Parkdale America's textile facility in Edgefield that will increase plant capacity. The expansion is expected to create 16 new jobs in South Carolina. ORS believes the contract is beneficial to both parties and promotes economic development in the State of South Carolina.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide our comments in this matter.

Sincerely,

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